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NEGRO CONFESSES TO KIDNAPPING

OFFICERS HAVE NEGRO WHO KIDNAPED CHILD NEAR DURANT TAKEN TO DENISON FOR SAFE KEEPING.

Denison, Tex., Aug. 29.—Mann Posey, a negro, who at an early hour Tuesday morning in the Denison jail confessed to the attempted attack on the person of Mrs. Wilkerson, four miles east of Colbert, Okla., also that he attempted to kidnap her 2-year-old son, was positively identified by Mrs. Wilkerson at her home at noon.

Following his identification he was brought back to Denison by Sheriff Clipper Hamilton of Bryan county, Oklahoma, and Deputy Constable Ed Turnipseed of Denison. They arrived here about 2 o'clock and at 5 o'clock Sheriff Hamilton and the prisoner boarded the southbound "Katy Flyer."

Sheriff Hamilton said as he stepped

on the train that he was taking his prisoner to Fort Worth, but it is almost a certainty that he will catch the Santa Fe at Gainesville and the prisoner will be placed in the Carter county jail at Ardmore before morning. This information leaked out before the Oklahoma officer left here.

After being warned by officers that any confession he might make would be used as evidence against him, Posey confessed in the presence of Sheriff Hamilton, Dan Collins of Colbert, Okla., and Deputy Constable Ed Turnipseed of Denison, in the city jail, that he was the negro who attempted to attack Mrs. Wilkerson, the wife of a farmer residing east of Colbert, on Saturday.

How Ruse Was Planned.

In his confession made to officers, Posey, said he had been working about three miles from the home of Wilkerson and put on a woman's skirt and waist and small gray cap Saturday morning then proceeded to Wilkerson's home. He told of grabbing the child and running with it with the expectation that the mother would follow him into the woods and there he would be able to accomplish his purpose. He told of meeting a man as he ran with the 2-year-old child, becoming frightened when pursued and throwing it into a ravine. It is said he made identically the same confession twice in the night, according to statements made by the officers. Posey is a young man, weighing about 140 or 150 pounds, is ginger-bread color and about five feet and six inches tall.

He was arrested at the home of his parents, east of Denison, Monday afternoon. When the officers approached the house he attempted to escape, but was soon captured.

lose it all which inaction would inevitably do.

Third: To redistrict this state into eight Congressional districts thereby abolishing the most partisan gerrymander that has taken place in many years. The five Congressional districts created by the partisan republican congress is palpably unfair to the people; as the districts stand the democrats will certainly elect two and the republicans three, then three to be elected at large and it an off year in Oklahoma elections, and a national election will necessarily cause the republican committee to dump a barrel of money in this state for which they will certainly receive ten electoral votes and at the same time three congressmen at large. The democratic party is not responsible for the necessity of the extra session on this point for had the republican congress done its duty this state would have been redistricted last winter. We are today in control of both branches of the legislature and can put an emergency clause on a redistricting bill. If we wait until we elect a new legislature we will find our selves in the predicament of being unable to do this, if the republicans and socialists are not really in control which would mean a redistricting of this state for their inter-

est and the democrats could only act as witnesses.

If I believed in the railroads and trusts dominating this country and a high and protective tariff; if I believed a farmer ought to be required to pay 40 per cent more for his implements, nails, and wire in Oklahoma than in Old Mexico; if I believed a man should pay 60 per cent more for a suit of clothes in Oklahoma than than they do in Canada then I would be opposed to an extra session of the legislature for I would want republican congressmen sent from Oklahoma which will be the result if no session of legislature is held; but as long as I believe in physical valuation of railroads, free trade and taxation of monopoly, I am certainly going to be in favor of an extra session. Respectfully,

REUBEN M. RODDIE

GROVER AMBURG HELD ON \$2,000 BOND

The preliminary hearing of Grover Amburg, charge with burning the barn belonging to Mrs. A. A. Bobbitt at Lawrence, was held today before Justice Brown. His bond was fixed at \$2,000. It is thought that he will succeed in making this tomorrow.

Tom Green County, Tex., Votes Wet.
San Angelo, Tex., Aug. 29.—Tom Green county went wet in the local option election today. At 9 o'clock tonight the anti majority was 67, with one box to hear from. Pro leaders concede defeat.

In a previous local option election this county went dry by 327 majority, and San Angelo went dry by 27 votes.

In the election today San Angelo went wet by 148.

DURANT NEGRO WAS FROM ADA

It is now thought that the negro who was recently shot and burned at Durant was Leo Miller, a negro who made his headquarters at Ada for sometime. While here Miller was in trouble on more than one occasion. He was in jail for some time for stealing some bran and chops from a wholesale house and for stealing some clothing at Roff. It develops that Ada was fortunate in getting rid of him when it did.

HOOSIER CABINETS \$1.50 DOWN--\$1 A WEEK
SMITH'S
203-5 W. Main St.

Arrested for Contempt of Court.
Durant, Ok., Aug. 29.—United States Commissioner O. R. Fowler was today arrested by Deputy Sheriff L. B. Norman and taken before District Judge A. H. Ferguson, charged with contempt.

Last week, while the special grand jury was investigating the recent race troubles here, an article dealing with these troubles and with the court's action in the matter appeared in a local paper. This article was signed by Mr. Fowler, and for the publication of this he was arrested. A hearing is set for Friday afternoon. The defendant gave notice he would disqualify the judge.

The defendant was not required to give bond. Fellow-attorneys have offered to defend Fowler.

Uncle Sam's Apple Crop a Big One.
The apple crop of the United States this season is now estimated at about 28,600,000 barrels, as compared with 23,800,000 in 1910. The season of ripening, however, is about ten days later than last year. It is generally believed that the Baldwin crop will be short, but the quality superior to the 1910 crop.

JUDGE FIXES WITTER'S BOND AT \$20,000

Oklahoma City, Aug. 30.—C. M. Witter, a prominent banker of Tupelo, Coal county, Oklahoma, who is charged with having killed J. H. Fisher, a school teacher of that city on July 3, 1911, was admitted to bail in the sum of \$20,000 by District Judge F. M. Bailey of Chickasha, Tuesday evening. The hearing of the application consumed the greater part of two days and was held in the county court rooms in Oklahoma City. A number of Tupelo citizens were here to attend the hearing, including both the widow of the dead school teacher and Mrs. Witter, wife of the defendant.

The defendant, himself, took the witness stand Tuesday and related her version of the killing. It did not differ materially from the story as brought out by the depositions and witnesses, Monday, although he went into fuller details. He said that Fisher had become embittered against him on account of not being retained in the Tupelo schools, that Fisher had threatened to kill him time and time again and had done all in his power to arouse public sentiment against him. As he was walking down the street one day, he stated that Fisher stepped up to him without warning and struck him, knocking him down and rendering him unconscious.

Continuing, he said that he had been warned that Fisher meant to kill him and that he was in great fear that he would do so. On the day of the killing, he saw Fisher coming across the street with his hand on his breast, where he had been told Fisher carried his revolver. Stepping to the door of the bank, Witter testified that he fire twice. Afterwards he gave himself up, was admitted to bail and at once left home. When the grand jury met he was indicted on a charge of murder, and had to go before Judge Bailey to secure bond.

Girl's Dream Saves Father.
New York, Aug. 31.—If it had not been for the vivid dream of Miss Lena Schwartz, her aged father, Samuel Schwartz, a retired business man, would not be alive today. Miss Schwartz awoke early this morning with her mind full of a dream in which her father had met with a serious accident of some kind.

She was so impressed with the dream that she hurried to her father's room. His bed was unoccupied. She looked through the apartment without finding any trace of him. Then she went to an outer hall and found the aged man seated on the floor with a tube attached to a gas bracket in his mouth. He was unconscious but she tore the tube from his mouth and summoned a physician who revived the man. He had been ill for some time and despondent.

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HALE-HALSELL GROCERY COMPANY

members of the Oklahoma Federation of Labor at their Bartlesville session adopted a resolution against a special session.

J. W. Shipp principal of the South school, arrived yesterday ready to begin work Monday morning.

Public School Opens September 4th



Three years ago the superintendent made a test of 100 pupils' eyes, taking them as they came by rooms. He found 65 percent had defective sight. Do you realize what this means to the comfort and health of the pupils, not to say anything of making them backward in their studies.

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of Bath sponges, hot water bags, syringes, as well as toilet soaps, brushes and all similar articles, which are a necessity in every well ordered household.

Some drug stores carry inferior goods of this kind in order to make money.

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ey to print, and if it is worth
reading at all, the News is cer-
tainly worth the small sum ask-
ed for it.

The only way to clean up the city
is to clean it and quit talking about
what one's neighbors are doing or
not doing. It is up to every citizen
to constitute himself a committee of
one to look after his own premises
and with that done he has made a
good beginning and set an example
his more slothful neighbor will be
forced to follow.

Year Without Summer.

The year 1816 was called the year
without a summer, says the Magazine
of American history. As the spring
time approached nothing in the weath-
er indicated the return of seed
time, much less of harvest. Snows,
heavy rains and cold winds prevailed
incessantly, and during the entire
season the sun arose each morning
as though in a cloud of smoke, red
and rayless, shedding little light or
warmth, and setting each night as
behind a thick cloud of vapor, leav-
ing hardly a trace of its having
passed over the face of the earth. The
frost never went off the ground until
about the last of May. The farmers
planted their crops, but the seed
would hardly sprout, and when at
last it came to the surface there was
not warmth enough to cause anything
to grow. During the month of June
young birds were frozen to death in
their nests, and so great was their
destruction that for at least three
years after very few birds visited
the colder parts of the northern
states. The woods and forests seemed
deserted by them. Small fruit such

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Oklahoma production last year 900,
000 bales, while the state board of
agriculture totaled it but 846,000. The
difference is accounted for in the
fact that some ginning was done over
the lines in Texas and Arkansas.

Cotton experts connected with the
state government insist that for this
year the indications do not point to

more than 750,000 to 800,000 bales.

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ern Oklahoma from Arkansas to Tex-
as, and will assist in developing to a
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as juneberry ripened and rotted on
the trees in the forests because of
no birds to eat them.

Crops that required warmth, like
corn, generally failed to mature, and
only here and there in a few places
that seemed especially protected did
an ear ripen. The people after repeat-
ed hopes of a change in the weather,
settled down in almost despair. Large
spots appeared on the face of the
sun as seen through the smoky at-
mosphere, distinctly visible to the
naked eye; frosts prevailed every
month the whole year and almost dai-
ly, and in the few places where corn
ripened was the only supply of seed
for the next year, and it was held at
an exceedingly high figure, with now
and then an exception.

FARMERS UNION REVIVES COTTON MILL PROJECT

Oklahoma City, Ok., Aug. 29.—Fol-
lowing meeting of the National Farm-
ers' Union at Shawnee next month,
Sam Hampton, for several years
identified with the state union move-
ment, will revive the farmers' cot-
ton mill idea, and endeavor to get the
union members behind the project.

He proposes to organize a company
with about \$4,000,000 capital and es-
tablish the mill at a point that will
give the best bonus and site. It is
doubtful if the union, as an organiza-
tion, will become interested in the
project, but the voting stock, under
Hampton's plans, is to be held ex-
clusively by farmers and members of
that organization.

About 100 delegates are expected to
the national union meeting. They will
have much to say about marketing
the cotton crop and are expected to
take action in the shape of a recom-
mendation directing the holding of
cotton for a fixed figure. President
Barrett of Union City, Ga., has been
in active touch with the cotton states
during the last few months and the
officers will gather at Shawnee well
supplied with information, it is stat-
ed, regarding crop conditions. The
union's resolutions will probably be
along the line expressed in the state-
ment of Senator Williams of Mississ-
ippi, Senator Owen of Oklahoma and
Congressman Henry of Texas, indic-
ating that the staple should be held
for a price of 13c.

"Confidently, I expect to see a cot-
ton fight like we had in 1907," said
Hampton, discussing the problem.
"That year it was a contest between
the broker and the buyer to bear
the price, so they could make more
money, and the raiser, to keep the
price up to where he thought it ought
to be. Now, this year we have glow-
ing reports of a bumper cotton crop,
but you will find these estimates al-
ways come from the persons inter-
ested on the buying side, for the
identical purpose they had in view
during 1907. I have been over the
state, and I tell you the cotton con-
ditions are not flattering. Owing to
the probable reduction in the amount
of state production, the farmer should
be entitled to all his staple will
righteously bring. How will we man-
age it? The farmer of the South will
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The Railroad Raiders of '62

Founded on an actual occurrence of the Civil War, correct in every detail and staged regardless of expense. It shows the capture of a locomotive by the Federals and later the capture of the Federals by the Confederates. The chase of one locomotive after another is sensational and thrills the emotions. Two real engines of the type of '62 are used. Readers of history should not miss this special feature. The most costly war picture ever produced.

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THE HIDDEN MINE

A Romantic drama of a prospector's adventures among wild Indians in the search for gold.

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Tomorrow Night

The Great Special Feature

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Thos. A. Edison's latest and best production.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture.

For Piano Tuning Phone 184. 117-6*

Serves you Right. Jones Drug Co. 107tf

Flem Floyd and wife returned to Tupelo this morning.

An early showing of autumn hats at the Surprise Store. 124,2t

That new soda fountain on East Main is OK—F. Z. Holly. 111-tf

Geo. Harrison was a passenger to Coalgate this morning.

I will save you money on your plumbing work. Estimates free. Ford, the Plumber. 106-1mo

J. F. McKeel left this morning on a business trip to McAlester and Muskogee.

If you like to be in style, you can find new and up-to-date fall goods at the Grand Leader. 124-2t

E. J. Merritt and Dr. Hill of Fitzhugh were in town between trains this morning.

Come down on East Main and see the improvements on the Crescent Drug Store. 111-dtf

W. H. Webster, the rock crusher man, was up from Fitzhugh on business this morning.

A classified advertisement, persistently printed, will sell ANYTHING of value.

Miss Gertrude Case is having brick flues built in her house in Donaghay addition.

Furniture repairing, re-enameling beds. A. Luther, Phone 44. 114-1m

B. C. King returned from Alabama last night, where he has been for some weeks past at the bedside of his father. The elder Mr. King is still in very bad health.

Attend the St. Louis Furniture House removal sale. 112-dtf-18-wtf

DeSota

123 East Main
Licensed Pictures Exclusively.
Non-inflammable Films.

TONIGHT

Forgiven in Death—A Western drama of two Pals who are in love with the same girl. She secretly marries one the day previous to the departure of the two boys in search of gold. See the outcome. By the S. & A. Co.

The Passing of Dopped Fawn—An Indian drama and love story of dopped Fawn, the Indian maiden—(on same reel) Five Mines and Foundry in Malacca. Scenic—Being an exceedingly interesting and instructive picture of these industries by the Pathes Co.

Admission - - - 10 and 15cts
122-6t

Phone No. 4 for Printing.

W. A. Baker, district supervising Indian agent with headquarters at Muskogee, has been in town today with W. H. Reynolds, district agent.

Walter Zorn, who bought E. P. Meigs' plumbing business arrived yesterday afternoon from Durant. His family will follow in a day or two.

Mrs. G. C. Sweatt of Waxahachie, Tex., is visiting J. W. Sweatt and wife.

On account of the meeting at the Baptist church there will be no prayer meeting at the Methodist church this evening.

Rev. E. M. Sweet left this morning for Vinita to attend a meeting of the board of missions of which he is a member.

P. A. Norris left this morning on a business trip to New York. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Margaret, who will attend school at Staunton, Va.

Ourselves as Others See Us.
We have the most complete stock of Hand Mirrors in the City; 75c to \$3.00. Costs you nothing to see them. 107-tf JONES DRUG CO.

A large and carefully selected standard brand of cigars, tobaccos, also standard and popular magazines always kept in complete stock at the Harris hotel stand. O. E. Lancaster, Proprietor. 1316-d26t

Made Last Night.
Jacob's Fine Chocolates and Bon Bons, $\frac{1}{2}$ and 1 pound boxes. Ramsey Drug Co. 116-tf

NOTICE.
We would be pleased to come and take out of your way all bottles belonging to the Ada Bottling Works. Please call us. Phone No. 8. We also have a nice line of Sodas suitable for outings and children's socials. Orders will be filled promptly with pleasure. Respectfully,

ADA BOTTLING WORKS,
122-6t O. L. Ritter, Mgr.

See W. T. Tarkenton if you want a well drilled. Phone 309. 41-dtm

Big stock of fall and winter goods of all descriptions now arriving at the Grand Leader. 124-2td

C. M. Chauncey returned from a trip to Wetumka this morning.

Phone No. 4 for Printing.

The demand for White Felt Hats is enormous. We have them in many different styles. Surprise Store. 124-2t

C. T. Angel returned last night from Antlers, where he has been on business for some days past.

Arrival of men's new Cluett, Peabody & Co.'s shirts and collars at the Grand Leader. 124-2td

Miss Addie Tanner, who has been visiting friends in Dallas, Sherman and Denison, Tex., returned home yesterday afternoon.

Arrival of Ladies' Shoes in velvets, sudees, patents and gun metals. Latest novelties out in the way of ladies' shoes at the Grand Leader. 124-2td

Yesterday afternoon a big centipede not less than four inches long, was captured in Mrs. J. I. Warren's parlor. It is a wicked looking specimen.

Buy from the old reliable Stark Bros. Nursery Co., the largest in the world. Their salesman, S. L. Hostetter, will make Ada his headquarters until after delivery this fall. See him.

116-d1m-19W-1m

Yesterday afternoon T. B. Bell was tried in Justice Brown's court on a charge of raising a rough house and abusing his wife. After considerable delay the jury by five to one acquitted him.

We paint the room at \$1.25 per gallon, the body for \$2.00 per gallon, the floor at any old price and finish up with wall paper decorations on the walls—Dr. Holly. 111-dtf

R. W. Simpson is expected home from New York this afternoon. He has been in the eastern markets for the past three weeks and it may be readily believed that he has been there to good purpose.

If you have gotten through with my post hole digger, please return it. C. A. Powers. 125-3td

Normal Students.
Those who wish to board Normal students phone or otherwise notify the secretary at the Normal, stating terms. Many inquiries are coming.

M. L. PERKINS.

YOURS TRULY,

Pontotoc County Abstract Co.

C. T. Angel, Sec.-Treas.

DR. H. H. WYNNE, OCULIST, Oklahoma City Specialist of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat will be professionally in Ada, Monday, Sept. 18. Glasses fitted. Inquire of Dr. R. F. King or Mad-Ox Drug Store. One regular monthly visit—3rd Monday each month.

North Ada Patrons Club to Meet.

The Patron's club of the North Ada school will meet with Mrs. Ellis, 9th and Stockton, Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6 p. m. A full attendance is urged.

Veterans of the civil war will remember an occurrence in which the federals captured a locomotive and train from the Confederates. Taking possession of another locomotive the Confederates made a wild ride and recaptured the fleeing train. One of the most thrilling incidents of the war. The picture will be shown tonight at the Majestic. 126-1t

Have Your Eye Tested

Parents Take Notice

As school time is here again, prepare your children so they may be able to get their lessons. Have their eyes tested for their optical defects, which causes many a child to be backward in getting their lessons. I will test their eyes and give you advice free, if they need glasses. You are assured of fair treatment. I don't care if they can't read or even do not know their letters, I can fit them just as well. I have the latest known instrument for that purpose at your hand and at your service. Bring or send to me and be satisfied.

A. D. COON,
Graduate and Registered Optometrist by Examination.

All work and goods guaranteed satisfactory or money back. Located at Jones Drug Store, Ada, Okla.

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Contracts all kinds of building. Thorough in cement construction and reinforcement. A practical brick layer, with a proficient knowledge of building. Plastering, concrete and brick foundation, mantles, tile setting and cement walks. Employ only capable men. Estimates on short notice without charge. Call me up. Phone 279.

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NOTICE.

Having purchased J. H. Kirby's interest in the 12th street Meat Market, will ask all who are indebted to the old firm to please settle.

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Makes Calls For Trains
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RAGS WANTED.
Will buy large, clean cotton rags. News office.

FOR SALE—4 lots, 6 room house, close in. A snap. Arnold, 223 S. Cherry. 100-dtf

FOR RENT—Five room house on East 14th. Good water. F. O. Harris. 120-h-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. See Miss Wade, 14th and Cherry. Phone No. 342. 117-dtf

WANTED—You to know that the McAlester Business College has had Ten Positions to Each Graduate. Write to McAlester Normal, Academy and Business College, E. E. Anderson, Pres. 106-dtf

FOR SALE—Gold locket. Owner can get it by calling at Pontotoc Cafe and paying for notice. 124-3td

FOR SALE—Half block on 16th between Stockton and Cherry. Four good three room houses, two good wells. A bargain at \$2,800. R. O. Lawrence. 124-dtf

THE RIGHT HOLD
on the problem of how to keep looking clean, natty and "smart" during the heated term unless you have solved it by bringing your clothing to H. Claude Pitt. You can have them cleaned and pressed when they have become mussed and "baggy" and keep looking as well as if your wardrobe was extensive enough for you to wear a new suit every week by keeping it in first class condition with the aid of

H. CLAUDE PIT
Merchant Tailor.

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FOR RHEUMATISM KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Ever Have Indigestion?

Ninety Per Cent of the People in this Country Have It. Digestit Relieves Almost Instantly.

Do you ever experience the distressing symptoms of indigestion and what would you give for relief? If you knew that your druggist had in his store a remedy that would relieve indigestion, sour stomach, heartburn, etc., and cure dyspepsia, wouldn't you have him send you a package right now?

There is a remedy called Digestit and it will relieve you almost in-

McNAMARA STAMPS ARE

BARRED FROM MAIL

Washington, Aug. 30.—An order will eliminate from the mails absolutely the Red Cross stamps and the McNamara defense fund stamps, because on their faces they are called "stamps" was issued today by Postmaster General Hitchcock, after conferring with Third Assistant Britt.

The use of such stamps on the obverse side of letters was forbidden. Serious in convenience in handling the mails from particular localities has been experienced by the postal authorities on account of the increasing use of adhesive stamps.

In view of the trouble experienced from the use of the Red Cross stamps during the last Christmas holiday period, Postmaster General Hitchcock issued a general order that no adhesive stamps except United States postage stamps should be attached to the address side of a letter or package.

Thousands of letters bearing stamps on the obverse side of the envelopes have been received at the dead letter office since the order.

Notice to the Public.

On and after this date you can get "All Wright" cigars for 5c each at 107-tf JONES DRUG CO.

Exciting Bull Fights.

E. L. Miller is just finishing a highly successful tour of the state with moving picture films showing one of the most exciting bull fights that ever occurred in Mexico City. In Oklahoma City over 22,000 spectators visited the theatres where this film was shown, and the papers of that place speak in glowing terms of it.

The fights in question occurred in October and November, 1910, and were witnessed by President Diaz and cabinet. Every feature is shown: the entry of the matadors, the bulls, the daring attack, the killing of horses by the maddened animals, the killing of the bulls themselves, the dragging of the carcasses from the arena, and the thousands of excited spectators.

This great picture will be shown at the Lyric Airdome tonight only.

Togo

We serve Banana Togo the most appetising, satisfying creation of the soda dispensers art. Only 10c at 107-tf JONES DRUG CO.

Notice.

All persons are warned against posting notices in the postoffice. This is strictly forbidden by the postal regulations and must be observed.

U. G. WINN, P. M.

Fiercest Bull Fight Ever Fought



Lyric Airdome Tonight!

Actual reproduction of fights that take place in Mexico City last fall before 30,000 people, including President Diaz and staff. All details shown from Bull ranch to arena. 10 bulls killed in this fight. These pictures drew 22,000 people in Oklahoma City.

Hot and Cold Stuff

Manufacturers of Ice
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Coal
Long Distance Phone 29

RAYMOND BARTON AT SANDY HOOK

TELLS OF EXPERIENCES IN HANDLING UNCLE SAM'S BIG GUNS.

Raymond Barton, who is one of Ada's most promising young men, is now a senior at the United States Military Academy at West Point, having entered on the last year of his work Monday. He has gone through three years of the most rigid discipline that ever comes to an American boy, and a course that proves too much for any but those made of stern material, and his friends rejoice that the end of his term of training is drawing to a close under most auspicious circumstances. Next Spring he will graduate and receive his commission as second lieutenant in the regular army. The following letter to his parents, Judge and Mrs. C. O. Barton, gives an interesting account of his recent trip to Sandy Hook, near New York City:

Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook, N. Y., August 18, 1911.
Dear Folk:
As you see by the heading of this letter, I'm away from West Point for awhile. Each year the first class spends this week of August here at Sandy Hook for the purpose of receiving practical instruction in coast artillery and some instruction in ordnance.

It is about twenty miles from N. Y. and commands the entrance to the harbor. It is very heavily fortified with all kinds of guns from a 15 pounder up through 6 inch guns to a 16 inch gun which shoots a two ton projectile twenty miles. The two upper forts shown in map are about half way between here and N. Y. In a general way you can see that I'm at a "real place." Now I'll give you some of the details the trip down and what we have been doing here.

Early Sunday morning the class of '95 was marched down to the dock and there loaded into a steamer—a government boat called a Mine-Planter. The trip down the river and across N. Y. bay was delightful. We arrived at the dock here about 2:30 p. m. There we were met by a number of officers some of whom had graduated since our coming to the Point and with whom we felt quite at ease. The officers who had us in charge soon formed us and marched us to barracks. We occupy the quarters of a company of regular coast artillery men which is now in camp having target practice.

West Point, Aug. 2, 1911. I didn't get to finish this letter down at Sandy Hook and I'll try to do so now. To continue where I left off; we were quartered in this barracks and as soon as were settled unpacked, etc., supper call sounded. The salt air, the boat trip, etc., gave every one a great big appetite and the mess was unusually good to boot. I know I ate enough for three men and there were others at the table when I left.

Strict West Point regulations were somewhat relaxed down there. That made the trip the more agreeable. In fact it was more like a weeks outing than anything else. I went in bathing in the ocean three times per day. Once right after the morning drill, again after the afternoon drill and another time after supper. Went to bed at 9:15 and got up at 7. Each night the post band gave us a concert in front of our quarters. At spare moments I strolled around the place looking at the fortifications, lighthouses, etc.

We fired the 6inch, 10 inch and 12 inch rifles at targets drawn by a steam tug. The distance of the target being about 4 or 5 miles out. Also shot the 12 inch mortars at it. Shot the targets all to pieces.

The Ordnance Department has its proving grounds here at Sandy Hook also. All big guns are tested out here.

Also new guns, powders, etc., are experimented with. They showed us through the works and also fired a 14 inch gun for us. The government owns a railroad here. The Ordnance officers use it as it pleases them. One morning they loaded us into three coaches and pulled out up the beach to inspect the targets they had been shooting at in the gun tests.

We saw all kinds of armor plate shot through like an ordinary rifle would go through a piece of paper. Finally we reached three big concrete blocks 15 feet high and 20 feet thick. They were the best possible reinforced concrete erections. The reinforcing consisted of steel rods about an inch thick.

These ran in three directions, just a foot apart. The engineers built these targets as strong as they possibly could make them. They wanted to test the strength of concrete as a means of defense. Well, a single shot from a 12 inch gun went clear through this 20 foot mass of concrete and steel and then dug up the sand. I pity the navy that tries to

come in New York harbor or any other one fortified with such guns as we have in our service.

Next day we boarded a Mine-Planter and saw them put down a mine. It is a big hollow steel ball about 4 feet in diameter. It is loaded with several hundred pounds of gun cotton and has electrical connection so that it can be fired at will from shore or set to fire when a ship bumps into it. After the mine was planted a wooden frame was floated over it and then the mine was fired. It threw up a column of water about 100 feet high. Not a splinter of the target was left. Hundreds and hundreds of fish were killed and stunned. Boat loads of enlisted men rowed out and gathered in the fish with nets.

I see that if I go into detail I'll not fit this letter off in another week, so I'll skip over the rest of the trip. Returning, the trip was better even than when we went down. The day was clear, cool and bright. As we passed the docks in N. Y. we saw a number of the big liners. The Olympic which is the largest afloat and the Mauretania dipped colors to us. Reached West Point at 3:30 p. m. and immediately fell into rigid discipline again. Had to clean up our guns and tents and go to inspection at 5:30.

Ada Citizens Opposed to Special Session.

The News reporter had little time to canvass the citizens today in regard to the special session of the legislature, but a majority of those seen expressed themselves as being opposed to it. Two who favored the matter when presented to them yesterday came in and asked that their votes be changed. Two others favored the proposition, however, so the affirmative vote still stands at 12. On the other side the figures stand at 75.

Phone No. 4 for Printing.

PORUM PEOPLE

AFRAID TO TALK

Muskogee, Ok., Aug. 30.—"Disarm every citizen in Porum and then keep them, forever, from carrying weapons and perhaps the trouble at Porum may be stopped."

So spoke Jack Davis, yesterday in discussing the recent murder at Porum of Charley McClure, the man who testified for him on the witness stand and the man whom the state of Oklahoma expected to play a prominent part in the trying of the recent "mob violence" affairs, also at Porum.

Deputy Sheriffs Depew and Robbins returned from Porum last night without the men who ambushed them selves inside the four walls of the Porum High school and fired the shots which ended Charley McClure's life. They declared that in Porum there was not a single citizen to tell them anything of the affair and this, despite the fact that fully thirty men witnessed the shooting, and also that it has been the only subject discussed in Porum since Saturday night.

At twenty minutes of seven, while it was still daylight, Charley McClure in full view of thirty men on Porum's main street, fell from his horse and died. He had been shot four times. Then two masked men left the Porum High school building and calmly walked away.

No one tried to capture the men. Furthermore, no one seems to have recognized them, although 30 men say that the masks only covered the men's eyes. Then they walked to a small house nearby. They entered the yard and talked face to face with the owner. He refused them entrance, but did not try to capture them. He told the officers that he did not recognize them.

Then a small boy saw them go to another house from which no one saw them leave. The owner of this house and all the inmates say they never saw the men at all.

It is the old story at Porum. Just a man has been killed, another one, and no one knows a thing about it except that he was shot at six times and hit four times. The same feud, which took the life of this man, has cost the lives of half a score of others, and it has always been the same story. It has always been so. Except when someone "confessed."

A few days before he was killed, McClure was fired at and missed. He was riding through a strip of woods at the time. He had been warned to stay away from Porum and had done so. It is believed that he returned to make preparations for his final departure.

It is known that he was a "good" friend to Pony Starr and Jack Davis. He has been a witness for them at several times and in their last trial in Muskogee he was the leading witness. It is also said that he would be a principal witness for the state in connection with the Porum "mob violence" affairs in which thirty people have been indicted for inciting a riot.

Baby's Voice

Every woman's heart thrills at the cooing and prattling of a baby, and motherhood is her highest and purest joy. Yet the suffering incident to this great consummation of her life's desire, robs the anticipation of some of its sweetness. Most of this can be avoided by the use of Mother's Friend. This great remedy prepares the expectant mother's system for the coming event, and its use makes her comfortable during all the term. Mother's Friend assists nature in gradually expanding all tissues, muscles and tendons, it strengthens the ligaments, keeps the breasts in good condition, and brings the woman to the crisis in healthful physical condition. The regular use of Mother's Friend lessens the pain when baby comes, and assures a quick and natural recovery for the mother. For sale at drug stores. Write for free book for expectant mothers.

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Depends on the kind of a "jag" you're taking home, whether it's a good thing to do, or not. If it's a jag of lumber, why! all right. But if it's a jag of "snake juice" — well! you will have troubles of your own.

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